## CITY COUNCIL ATLANTA, GEORGIA



01-R-0964

COUNCILMEMBER CLAIR MULLER
S SUBSTITUTED BY FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

A RESOLUTION FOR INCLUSION IN THE 2002 LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE REQUESTING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO STUDY ALTERNATIVE MEANS OF FUNDING EDUCATION IN THE STATE OF GEORGIA IN ORDER TO RELIEVE THE LOCAL PROPERTY BURDEN ON SENIOR CITIZENS OF GEORGIA.

WHEREAS, in many communities in Georgia property taxes for schools equates to more than 50 % of the local tax bill; and

WHEREAS, some counties in Georgia have passed local legislation to exempt senior citizens from school taxes; and

WHEREAS, some school districts in Georgia have passed public referendums for special purpose local option sales tax for additional funding; and

WHEREAS, some states have a statewide tax dedicated to improving public education statewide.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA that the City of Atlanta include in its Legislative Package to the Georgia General Assembly for consideration during their next Legislative Session a request for a study committee to discover alternative means for funding public education in Georgia.

A true copy.

Thombo Laugher Johnson Municipal Clerk, CMC ADOPTED as amended by the Council APPROVED by the Mayor

JUL 16, 2001 JUL 24, 2001

## Atlanta City Council

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